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Applicants petition under Rule 313(c)(3) for withdrawal of the application from issuance for express abandonment of the application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the petition fee of \$130.00 to Deposit Account No. 20-0782/APPM 6346/KMT.

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